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1. The Central Bank of China desires to charter planes from China Air Transport to convey approximately 100 tons of silver, 40 or 50 plane loads, to Shanghai. About one third of this silver is from Peiping.
2. The Central Bank of China claims that this silver is to be minted in Shanghai and returned to Tientsin.

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